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This is the email I got from Becky. The attachments contain the info available outside of F-OL about the 13 FOIAs existing as of Friday. We can discuss more on Wednesday.

Thanks,

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From: Dolph, Becky
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Subject: GMK FOIA Follow-up

Hi all – as we discussed yesterday, I'd like to get together for a short call Friday to touch base on Gold King Mine FOIA issues. I will be sending an appointment for a call at 1:00 p.m. EDT.

I've attached 2 spreadsheets – the first is the spreadsheet listing the 12 requests received to date (after consolidating the 6 CNN requests into 2 requests), as well as a spreadsheet I put together broadly categorizing the specific requests.

Items to discuss tomorrow:

- What categories of documents/specific documents we should propose be proactively posted to the public website.
- Whether we should send out 10 day letter citing unusual circumstances to some/all of the requesters.
- The need to monitor the granting of any fee waivers/expedited processing requests and our response to such.
- Anything other issues someone would like to raise.

Also, I recommend that by the end of next week each Region/affected HQ office take a look at the spreadsheet categorizing the requests and give thought as to who would be the primary custodians in that Region/Office that would likely have documents responsive to each category.

Thanks,

Becky

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